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Docket No. 03500.018040.

SHIGEO KISO

Application No.: 10/781,693

Examiner: Uyen Chau N. Le

Filed: February 20, 2004

Group Art Unit: 2876

For: METHOD OF PRODUCING SUBSTRATE WITH
MARK, PROGRAM FOR READING MARK,
AND APPARATUS FOR READING MARK

Date: January 20, 2006

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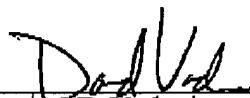
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Respectfully submitted,



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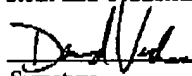
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